

Provider Relations

Policy and reporting requirements for the attending provider specific to Home Health Agency (HHA) or Hospice providers.

Policy Background

Michigan Medicaid Provider Manual Chapter Billing and Reimbursement for Institutional Providers Section 2.3.B Attending Provider, MMP 23-06 and MSA 21-45. The attending provider NPI is a requirement for all claims submitted within the institutional claim format with one exception. Hospital-owned ambulance Medicaid enrolled providers submitting Emergency Ambulance Transport claims may report the attending provider NPI, however, completion of this field is not required.

If the attending NPI is not reported, not enrolled in Community Health Automated Medicaid Processing System (CHAMPS), not enrolled on the date of service, or enrolled with a specialty/subspecialty other than what is identified below, the claim will be denied. This also applies to out-of-state providers and emergency services. Providers are encouraged to utilize the CHAMPS Provider Verification Tool to verify enrollment.

Claims

Claims denied for the attending provider can be identified with the following Claim Adjustment Reason Codes (CARC) and Remittance Advice Remark Codes (RARC):

CARC B7 & RARC M143 The provider is not certified/eligible to be paid for this procedure/service on this date of service	Is the provider enrolled in CHAMPS? Is the provider's enrollment active for the dates of service being billed on the claim? Verify in the CHAMPS Provider Verification Tool
CARC 183 & RARC N767 or N574 The provider is not eligible to bill for the services	Is the NPI reported the individual/type 1 NPI? Is the provider one of the allowed provider types?
CARC 16 & RARC N253 Missing/Incomplete/Invalid attending provider	Is there an attending NPI reported on the claim?

See below for a full listing of CHAMPS enrolled provider type specialty and subspecialty.

Resources

MMP 23-06 and MSA 21-45

[CARC Codes](#)

[CHAMPS Provider Enrollment Webpage](#)

[Determine CHAMPS Enrollment Type](#)

[CHAMPS Provider Verification Tool](#)

[Medicaid Provider Manual](#)

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[RARC Codes](#)

Effective for dates of service (DOS) on and after January 1, 2022, the following provider type, specialty, and subspecialty are allowed to be reported in the attending field on institutional claims submitted by a Home Health Agency (HHA) or Hospice provider.

Provider Type	Specialty	Subspecialty
Physicians	Addiction Medicine	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Allergy & Immunology	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
		Clinical & Laboratory Immunology
	Anesthesiology	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
		Pain Medicine
		Pediatric Anesthesiology
		Critical Care Medicine
	Cat Scan	Cat Scan Other
		Cat Scan Body
		Cat Scan Head
		Primary Specialty
	Colon & Rectal Surgery	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Dermatology	No Subspecialty
		Clinical & Laboratory Dermatological Immunology
		Primary Specialty
		Pediatric Dermatology
		Dermatopathology
	Emergency Medicine	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
		Undersea & Hyperbaric Medicine
		Sports Medicine
		Pediatric Emergency Medicine
		Medical Toxicology
	Family Medicine	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty

Provider Type	Specialty	Subspecialty
Physicians	Family Medicine	Geriatric Medicine
		Adolescent Medicine
		Sports Medicine
	General Practice	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Internal Medicine	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
		Transplant Hepatology
		Sleep Medicine
		Rheumatology
		Pulmonary Disease
		Nephrology
		Medical Oncology
		Interventional Cardiology
		Infectious Disease
		Hematology
		Gastroenterology
		Endocrinology, Diabetes & Metabolism
		Clinical Cardiac Electrophysiology
		Cardiovascular Disease
		Geriatric Medicine
		Adolescent Medicine
		Sports Medicine
		Critical Care Medicine
		Clinical & Laboratory Immunology
	Lithotripter	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Manipulative Medicine	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Maxillofacial Surgery	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Medical Genetics	No Subspecialty

Provider Type	Specialty	Subspecialty
Physicians	Medical Genetics	Primary Specialty
		Molecular Genetic Pathology
		Ph.D. Medical Genetics
		Clinical Molecular Genetics
		Clinical Genetics (M.D.)
		Clinical Cytogenetics
		Clinical Biochemical Genetics
	MRI	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Neurological Surgery	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
		Pediatric Neurosurgery
	Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Nuclear Medicine	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Obstetrics & Gynecology	No Subspecialty
		Reproductive Endocrinology/Infertility
		Maternal & Fetal Medicine
		Gynecologic Oncology
		Critical Care Medicine
		Primary Specialty
	Occupational Medicine	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Ophthalmology	No Subspecialty
		Pediatric Ophthalmology
		Primary Specialty
	Orthopedic Surgery	No Subspecialty
		Orthopedic Sports Medicine
		Pediatric
		Surgery of the Hand
		Primary Specialty

Provider Type	Specialty	Subspecialty
Physicians	Otolaryngology	No Subspecialty
		Pediatric Otolaryngology
		Plastic Surgery Within the Head and Neck
		Neurotology
		Sleep Medicine
		Primary Specialty
	Pathology	No Subspecialty
		Pediatric Pathology
		Neuropathology
		Molecular Genetic
		Medical Microbiology
		Forensic Pathology
		Cytopathology
		Chemical Pathology
		Clinical Pathology
		Anatomic Pathology
		Blood Banking/Transfusion Medicine
		Hematology
		Dermatopathology
		'Pathology'
		Primary Specialty
	Pediatrics	No Subspecialty
		Pediatric Transplant Hepatology
		Pediatric Rheumatology
		Pediatric Pulmonology
		Pediatric Nephrology
		Pediatric Infectious Diseases
		Pediatric Hematology-Oncology
		Pediatric Gastroenterology
		Pediatric Endocrinology
		Pediatric Critical Care Medicine
		Pediatric Cardiology

Provider Type	Specialty	Subspecialty
Physicians	Pediatrics	Neurodevelopmental Disabilities
		Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine
	Pediatrics	Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics
		Sleep Medicine
		Adolescent Medicine
		Sports Medicine
		Medical Toxicology
		Clinical & Laboratory Immunology
		Primary Specialty
	Peripheral Vascular Disease	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	No Subspecialty
		Pediatric Rehabilitation Medicine
		Spinal Cord Injury Medicine
		Pain Medicine
		Primary Specialty
	Physician Adjuster Payment -Individual	No Subspecialty
		Primary Specialty
	Plastic Surgery	No Subspecialty
		Pediatric Plastic Surgery
		Plastic Surgery Within the Head and Neck
		Surgery of the Hand
		Primary Specialty
	Preventive Medicine	No Subspecialty
		Public Health & General
		Aerospace Medicine
		Undersea & Hyperbaric Medicine
		Medical Toxicology
		Occupational-Medicine
		Preventive-Medicine
		Primary Specialty
	Psychiatry & Neurology	No Subspecialty

Provider Type	Specialty	Subspecialty
Physicians	Psychiatry & Neurology	Vascular Neurology
		Psychosomatic Medicine
	Psychiatry & Neurology	Geriatric Psychiatry
		Forensic Psychiatry
		Clinical Neurophysiology
		Child & Adolescent Psychiatry
		Neurology with Special Qualifications in Child Neurology
		Addiction Psychiatry
		Neurodevelopmental Disabilities
		Sleep Medicine
		Pain Medicine
		Primary Specialty
	Radiology	No Subspecialty
		Vascular & Interventional Radiology
		Pediatric Radiology
		Nuclear Radiology
		Neuroradiology
		Radiological Physics
		Radiation Oncology
		Diagnostic Radiology
		Primary Specialty
	Surgery	No Subspecialty
		Vascular Surgery
		Surgical Oncology
		Surgical Critical Care
		Pediatric Surgery
		Surgery of the Hand
		Primary Specialty
	Thoracic Surgery	No Subspecialty
		Pediatric Cardiothoracic Surgery
		Cardiac Surgery
		Primary Specialty

Provider Type	Specialty	Subspecialty
Physicians	Urology	Primary Specialty
		No Subspecialty
		Pediatric
Non- Physicians	Clinical Nurse Specialist	Primary Specialty
		No Subspecialty
	Nurse Practitioners	Pediatric
		Acute Care
		Adult
		Adult Psychiatric/Mental Health
		Advanced Diabetes Management
		Child/Adolescent Psychiatric/Mental Health
		Family
		Family Psychiatric/Mental Health
		Gerontological
		Inpatient Obstetric Nursing (INPT)
		Maternal Newborn Nursing (MN)
		Low Risk Neonatal Nursing (LRN)
		Neonatal Intensive Care Nursing (NIC)
		Oncology
		Public/Community Health
		Telephone Nursing Practice (TNP)
		Obstetrics/Gynecology (OB/GYN)
		Women's Health Care
		Medical/Surgical
		Primary Specialty
		No Subspecialty
	Physician Assistants	Primary Specialty
		No Subspecialty